HEAR ME NORMA

THE CELEBRATED

DUET

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HEAR ME, NORMA.

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Andantino.

cres *mf*

ADALGISA.

Hear me Norma, in pity hear me, I would fain dispel thy dark des

p

pair; At thy feet behold thy children kneeling, Can a mother's heart reject their

mf dim.

NORMA.

pray'r? When the heart is cold that should have cherish'd Ev'ry hope of joy it falsely gave; Would'st thou

p

ADALGISA.

Hear me Norma

have me live Ah no! thou would'st not my on..ly haven a...las! is but the grave.

un poco meno.

pp

hear me Nor...ma I implore thee I im..plore thee I implore thee. O

Ah in vain you thus implore me Time cannot my joys re..store me. Yet

mf

he shall feel who caus'd thy anguish How deep hath been thy si..lent sor....row, And re..

could he feel who caus'd my anguish How deep hath been my si..lent sor....row, Thou re.

P

pen...tant, he shall languish at..... thy feet ere dawns the morrow, blessed hope blessed

pen...tant, he would languish at..... my feet ere dawns the morrow, blessed hope blessed

hope thy peace re...store And joy..... joy shall beam once more.

hope my peace re...store And joy..... joy shall beam once more.

P

Allegro.

Still in our fond hearts one bright hope is

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f *p*

beat.... ing, Friendship shall blossom tho' love's star be fleeting, Be thou but faithful and

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I will still cherish, Hope that shall fade not 'till life it...self perish; O what joy to

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hear thee Thus cher.....ish hope a.....gain O what joy to hear thee Thus

Thou a.....lone hast taught me Des...pair is worse than pain,

cher ish hope a.....gain, O what joy, Oh! Tho' clouds of

Hope sweet hope is mine O what joy, O what joy Tho' clouds of

sadness The sun of joy ap....pears How bright the gladness That

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shi.....neth thro' our tears— Yes! joy is mine joy is

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f

mine joy is mine joy is mine.

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cres:

ff

ff